

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently amended) A method for providing a user interface for an application running on a communications device, said communications device being operatively coupled to a host device, said method comprising:
downloading an application from the host device to the communication device;
providing a user interface for said application only on said host device; and
executing said application on said communication device.
2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein said act of providing a user interface further includes the act of providing a device display area.
3. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein said device display area is displayed on a monitor of said host device.
4. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein said device display area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communication device.
5. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including the act of providing a graphics display area within said device display area.
6. (Canceled)
7. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including the act of routing the output of said application to said graphics display area.
8. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein said graphics display area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communications device.
9. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the display capabilities of said graphics display area may be configured by a user.

10. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including the act of providing a user input area within said device display area.
11. (Original) The method of claim 10, further including the act of routing user input provided in said user input area to said communication device.
12. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein said user input area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communications device.
13. (Original) The method of claim 10, wherein the layout of said user input area may be configured by a user.
14. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein said device display area is configured to mirror the display of said communication device.
15. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein said device display area is configured to mirror the actions of said communication device.
16. (Currently amended) An apparatus for providing a user interface for an application running on a communications device, said communications device being operatively coupled to a host device, ~~said method comprising~~:
means for downloading an application from the host device to the communication device;
means for providing a user interface for said application only on said host device; and
means for executing said application on said communication device.
17. (Original) The apparatus of claim 16, further including means for providing a user interface further includes the act of providing a device display area.
18. (Original) The apparatus of claim 17, further including means for displaying said device display area on a monitor of said host device.

19. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 17, wherein said device display area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communication device.
20. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 17, further including means for providing a graphics display area within said device display area.
21. (Canceled)
22. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 20, further including means for routing the output of said application to said graphics display area.
23. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 20, wherein said graphics display area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communications device.
24. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 20, wherein the display capabilities of said graphics display area may be configured by a user.
25. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 20, further including means for providing a user input area within said device display area.
26. (Original) The apparatus of claim 25, further including means for routing user input provided in said user input area to said communication device.
27. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 25, wherein said user input area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communications device.
28. (Original) The apparatus of claim 25, wherein the layout of said user input area may be configured by a user.

29. (Original) The apparatus of claim 20, wherein said device display area is configured to mirror the display of said communication device.

30. (Original) The apparatus of claim 20, wherein said device display area is configured to mirror the actions of said communication device.

31. (Currently amended) A program storage device readable by a machine, tangibly embodying a program of instructions executable by the machine to perform a method providing a user interface for an application running on a communications device operatively coupled to a host device, said method comprising:

downloading an application from the host device to the communication device;
providing a user interface for said application only on said host device; and
executing said application on said communication device.

32. (Original) The device of claim 31, wherein said act of providing a user interface further includes the act of providing a device display area.

33. (Original) The device of claim 32, wherein said device display area is displayed on a monitor of said host device.

34. (Previously presented) The device of claim 32, wherein said device display area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communication device.

35. (Previously presented) The device of claim 32, the method further including the act of providing a graphics display area within said device display area.

36. (Canceled)

37. (Previously presented) The device of claim 35, the method further including the act of routing the output of said application to said graphics display area.

38. (Previously presented) The device of claim 35, wherein said graphics display area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communications device.

39. (Previously presented) The device of claim 35, wherein the display capabilities of said graphics display area may be configured by a user.

40. (Previously presented) The device of claim 35, the method further including the act of providing a user input area within said device display area.

41. (Original) The device of claim 40, the method further including the act of routing user input provided in said user input area to said communication device.

42. (Previously presented) The device of claim 40, wherein said user input area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communications device.

43. (Original) The device of claim 40, wherein the layout of said user input area may be configured by a user.

44. (Original) The device of claim 35, wherein said device display area is configured to mirror the display of said communication device.

45. (Original) The device of claim 35, wherein said device display area is configured to mirror the actions of said communication device.

46. (Currently amended) An apparatus for providing a user interface for an application running on a communications device, said communications device being operatively coupled to a host device, said method comprising:

a host device configured to exchange user input and display information to a display; and
said host device being coupled to a communication device through a transport link; and
wherein said host device is configured to
download an application from the host device to the communication device;

provide a user interface for said application only on said host device; and execute said application on said communication device.

47. (Original) The apparatus of claim 46, wherein said user interface further includes a device display area.

48. (Original) The apparatus of claim 47, wherein said device display area is provided on a monitor of said host device.

49. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 47, wherein said device display area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communication device.

50. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 47, further including a graphics display area within said device display area.

51. (Original) The apparatus of claim 50, wherein said host device is further configured to route the output of said application to said graphics display area.

52. (Original) The apparatus of claim 50, wherein said graphics display area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communications device.

53. (Original) The apparatus of claim 50, wherein the display capabilities of said graphics display area may be configured by a user.

54. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 50, wherein said host device is further configured to provide a user input area within said device display area.

55. (Original) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein said host device is further configured to route user input provided in said user input area to said communication device.

56. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein said user input area corresponds in appearance to a mobile communications device.

57. (Original) The apparatus of claim 54, wherein the layout of said user input area may be configured by a user.

58. (Original) The apparatus of claim 47, wherein said device display area is configured to mirror the display of said communication device.

59. (Original) The apparatus of claim 47, wherein said device display area is configured to mirror the actions of said communication device.